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Keith G. Parnell, PE Midlands Utility, Inc. 816 East Main Street P. O. Box 887 Lexington, South Carolina 29072

IN RE: DOCKET NO. 2006-36-S – MIDLANDS UTILITY, INC. – PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER SERVICE AREA FOR EMPIRE ESTATES PHASE III

Dear Mr. Parnell:

Enclosed herewith is the Notice of Filing concerning the above-captioned Docket. In order to proceed with the processing of this matter, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

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Sincerely,

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